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C O N F I D E N T I A L JERUSALEM 1755

E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: AMCIT AND RAMALLAH STUDENT DEMONSTRATIONS

REF: STATE 266678

1. CONGEN SPOKE WITH AMCIT ARTHUR WARMAN WHO TEACHES AT FRIENDS SCHOOLS (ONE FOR GIRLS, OTHER FOR BOYS) IN RAMALLAH. WARMAN STATES ON NOV 10 AT BOYS SCHOOL HE WAS ON WAY TO PERSUADE SMALLER STUDENTS GET OUT OF WAY SECURITY FORCES AND LARGER STUDENTS WHEN SOLDIER STRUCK HIM IN THE BACK WITH A RIFLE BUTT. WORDS WERE EXCHANGED, AND WARMAN BRIEFLY DETAINED AND THREATENED WITH EXPULSION BY MIL GOVER. HE WAS RELEASED AFTER HE PRODUCED PASSPORT. (WARMAN'S INITIAL THREE-MONTH PERIOD OF ADMISSION HAS EXPIRED, AND HE HAS APPLIED FOR RESIDENCE PERMIT IN ORDER TO TEACH.) PRINCIPAL OF FRIENDS SCHOOLS HAS SUBSEQUENTLY BEEEN IN TOUCH WITH MILGOV AND IS OPTIMISTIC WARMAN WILL NOT BE EXPELLED. (THIS WAS BEFORE SMITH REPORT REFTEL, AND WE DO NOT KNOW WHAT IMPACT THIS WILL HAVE ON ISRAELI DECISION. SMITH AND PRESS WERE TIPPED OFF IN ADVANCE ABOUT DEMONSTRATIONS BUT WE DO NOT KNOW IF WARMAN INVOLVED.)

2. IN VIEW OF POSSIBILITY OF DEMONSTRATION NOV 13, WE
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HAVE ADVISED WARMAN TO REMAIN IN JERUSALEM WITH FRIENDS

SERVICE COMMITTEE UNTIL SITUATION CALMS SOMEWHAT.
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